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THE BRITISH ADMIT SITUATION IS GRAVE

LONDON, Dec. 15—There is no use trying to camouflage the gravity of the situation on the west front—the only war theatre which in the last analysis counts.

Today Premier Lloyd George's speech at Gray's Inn was regarded as a call to arms in a present day crisis.

The set-back to British arms at Cambrai has not only practically nullified Marshal Haig's splendidly conceived and General Byng's splendidly executed advance, but it is generally admitted the reverse marked the end of the British offensive for some time to come.

The most competent experts predict that only the greatest efforts will prevent the Germans from fulfilling their boast to break through the allied line before American participation can equalize the reinforcement of the German line from the Russian front.

KAISER IS EXPECTED TO PROPOSE PEACE

GENEVA, Dec. 15—Kaiser Wilhelm's Christmas message to the German people will contain his final peace offer, according to an unofficial report received here today from Berlin.

Another peace offer by Germany has been forecast in a number of reports from Berlin in recent weeks. As United Press dispatches pointed out, there is widespread belief in London that the German offensive planned on the western front is the first step preliminary to a peace "drive" by the central powers.

Chancellor Hertling's speech last month hinted at some new peace move.

PETROGRAD SAYS CAZAR HAS ESCAPED

PETROGRAD, Dec. 15—Former Emperor Nicholas of Russia has escaped from his confinement at Tobolsk, according to advices received today at the Smolny Institute, the Bolshevik headquarters.

A special train manned by sailors has been dispatched from Petrograd for the pursuit of the former emperor.

LATER
Midnight dispatches last night deny that the Czar has escaped, and state that it was his removal to a

monastery that gave cause to the rumor.

U. S. FULLY REALIZES WAR WORK MUST RUSH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—America must speed up her war work. She must concentrate on the essentials and concentrate herself fully and nobly to the task of victory—a task growing difficult by virtue of Germany's new-found strength arising from the Russian fiasco. That was the solemn, frank warning given today of Secretary of War Baker and other government officials.

TREATY OF PEACE BY GERMANS AND RUSS

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 15—A treaty between Russia and Germany has been formulated, according to an official German statement received here today.

This is the first intimation that the Russian and German delegates have carried the consideration of an armistice, although a Petrograd dispatch yesterday quoted Leon Trotsky, Bolshevik Foreign Minister, as the effect that if an armistice should be signed the Russian delegates would have the power to enter into peace negotiations.

HOOVER IN ARGUMENT WITH SPRECKELS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—Food Administrator Hoover will issue a statement late today replying to the criticism of Claus Spreckles, the sugar refiner, before the Senate investigating committee.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—Charges of an attempt by the "sugar trust" to saddle prices on the American people for years, through the Hoover committee, were made today in the Senate investigation by Claus A. Spreckles.

The witness charged the Food Administration committee to be a "mere adjunct of the trust," and seeks to bind all American refiners to allow it to contract for future Cuban crops at its own price.

BIG EXPLOSION IN L. A. OIL PLANT

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 15—One man was killed and another probably fatally injured in an explosion which wrecked the dehydrating plant (Continued on Page Four)

NORWAY LOSES 5,000 SAILORS BY U-BOATS

LONDON, Dec. 15.—It is stated officially that Norway has lost 5,000 sailors during the war, a Central News dispatch from Christiania reports. The sinking of two more steamships is told of in the dispatch. The steamships whose loss is reported by the Norwegian Foreign Office, are the Strathmore and the San Croix. The Strathmore was torpedoed in the Mediterranean and eighteen of her crew were saved. The Croix was torpedoed in the English channel. Two men were lost.

ANOTHER INDUSTRY PROMISED RICHMOND

Mr. Gustave Weiniger of San Francisco, was a business caller in Richmond yesterday. Mr. Weiniger is the San Francisco representative of one of California's largest manufacturing concerns, and is considering Richmond as a possible site for the location of a gas engine spark plug factory. Eventually this factory will engage also in the manufacture of an improved style of propeller which is a marked advance over the kinds now in use for both marine and aerial work.

Richmond's coming development as a seaport and the fact that already located here are other factories with facilities for supplying parts that will be required in the product of Mr. Weiniger's factory, are two reasons, as stated yesterday to a News reporter by Mr. Weiniger why Richmond will probably be the location selected.

Meteor in Sky Alarms Many

In spite of the fact that at least, fairly accused at least one observer of being dippy after he related what he had seen in the evening sky, many of these were nevertheless signs and wonders in the sky. Friday night, Nov. 15, the boom of that observer's family will "listen" with more respect to the tales he tells of things he saw. For sure enough, confirmatory evidence is forthcoming that at about five p. m. a monster meteor shot "across the zenith" with an amazing display of pyrotechnics, leaving behind it a long, zig-zag trail of weird colored gases. From Marysville to San Jose it was seen and gave rise to many apprehensions and more absurd rumors.

So much in answer to the many inquiries from our readers as to what the phenomenon was. It was a meteor, not aeroplanes, military, signaling or bombs dropping.

Mrs. J. Gilmore, wife of Lieut. Gilmore of the Richmond Home Guards has been operated upon in the Mt. Zion hospital in San Francisco. She is reported to be getting along nicely and will soon be able to be moved to her home on 16th street.

The Junior Red Cross of the High School has ended its first week's drive for the \$200 goal which they have gone out to reach. During the past week they have collected from the students over \$120.

SOLDIER BOYS DEPART FOR THE WAR

Austrian Revolts and
Faces Trial for
Desertion

Richmond again was sad and glad. Sad that such things as war can be, sat that her sons must needs be started on their own errand; but glad that their purpose is so clean and right and true. Glad, moreover, that she has that kind to send. There were tears of regret and anguish, of wrenched hearts, but none of shame or fear. There was gladness in knowing that those men would acquit themselves well; that on their return Richmond would have the proud knowledge that from her homes had gone forth these modern Crusaders, and that they had manfully borne their part in the emancipation of the world.

There was no parade and no escorting of these men by the local Guards and the band. Perhaps that very lack, because of the reasons behind it, was the occasion of a deeper appreciation to the crowds on the street of what the going of these men meant and means.

Somebody blundered, so there was not even the modest display of a community God-speed. While the Camp Lewis contingent was at the railway station nearly an hour earlier than necessary, the Home Guards were waiting at their rendezvous for the scheduled time to take up the duty of escort, and the band was marching to the appointed starting place on Sixth street. So the parade did not take place as intended but the crowds along the sidewalks were none the less busy in their thoughts of what these men in their unattended march, stood for. And so Richmond was glad and sad.

An untoward feature that serves to remind us who are left behind that we harbor in our midst some who are disloyal was the necessity for the arrest of one Martin Kohn, a drafted man, who at present is an inmate of the city jail because of his refusal to accompany the contingent. He will be dealt with by the government authorities.

Following are the names of the men who made up the party that left for Camp Lewis: Orral Record, E. Bryan, A. M. Smith, John Barndas, H. C. Kerr, Joe Abert, H. J. Ross, Antonio Nochi, Joe P. Casey, Cavil J. Alveras, Mark Poor, Bert Maryin, Phillip Steinmark, Robert Kent, Chas. McMaster, Sanford Markham, Geo. W. Karris, Umberto Paoli, Elmer E. Noyes, Paolo Robbiano, Edw. Brauberg, and Peter Gratto.

DILLY GETS COIN

M. E. Dilly, local cigar dealer, claims to be the first in Richmond to have collected his interest from a Liberty Loan Bond. He is the proud possessor of a \$7 a year income from his patriotic investment, from the United States Government.

WOMEN CABLE GREETINGS TO U. S. SOLDIERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Through the women's committee of the Council of National Defense, the women of America will send a Christmas message to the American soldiers in France. This message, having the approval of President Wilson will be cabled to General Pershing and his troops.

"The women of America are with you in spirit and in service. You are standardbearers and our hope. We love you, we believe in you and pray for you at this Christmas season."

A GLORIOUS FLAG FOR RICHMOND BOYS

The Student Body of the Richmond High School are planning to make an enormous service flag for the boys that are in the service of Uncle Sam.

This flag will have a star for each of the boys that are in the service and who have graduated or were former students of the Richmond H. There are about seven men in the service of the United States from the local high school.

PYTHIAN WHIST

The Pythian Sisters held a successful whist party in their lodge rooms last night. There was a \$2.50 turkey order for every 4 tables. Winners were C. E. Bagley, Mrs. Michel, C. A. Odell and Mrs. McVicker. Mrs. Annie Linsor was in charge. There will be an installation of officers on January 12.

Enjoyable Party at the Lee Home

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee were host and hostess of a very delightful and successful week-end party last evening at their home, 55 Montana, Alaska Point. Many visitors from the cities around the bay were present. The home was decorated in true Christmas style. The party was in honor of the soldier boys who attended the gathering. Dainty refreshments, entertainment and general social time helped to make the evening a pleasant one. Among those present were Lieut. Lawders, Lieut. Roman, Corporal Burke, Arthur Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Little, Bob Ford, Wave Tilden, Mr. and Mrs. Gill, John Higello, Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, Viola Traenor, Miss Chandler, Miss N. Bishop, Miss Eva Russell, Miss Hawkins, Miss Ester Riches, Miss Gene Bartholomew, Miss I. W. Miss Maude Henry, Mr. Miller, Attorney and Mrs. Johnston, and Mr. Linton.

Former Lieut. Hickok of fire company No. 1, has enlisted in the Quartermasters department in the U. S. A. He leaves for Jacksonville, Florida, Monday. This makes the third member from the fire forces of this city to enlist under Uncle Sam.

A. H. Farrell has joined the colors and will be in the aviation corps as soon as he leaves Ft. McDowell for Texas. For the past few weeks he has been a carpenter for a local contractor.

SOME VERY UGLY RUMORS ARE FLOATING AROUND

Many Soldiers Die in Camps—Inefficiency
and Spies Are Blamed—
Traitors Shot

Some very ugly rumors are flying all over the country lately and some inkling of them is finding its way into the press, and incidentally may have something to do with the investigations now going on by Congress. Many of the stories come by letters from the soldier boys at the training camps.

One Richmond soldier boy writes his parents here that there is much illness at Camp Kearney, near San Diego, and that some of it was found to be due to poisoned water. He states also, that many of his comrades there came from Camp Funston, Kansas, and inform him that the deaths among the soldiers there are something frightful, due to spinal meningitis. He said in examination to this last condition that four camp doctors, German sympathizers, have been convicted by court martial of inoculating the soldiers with germs to bring about this dread disease, while treating them with injections of serum required by the army regulations relative to preventing typhus. These doctors, he writes, were put to death by a firing squad, first being made to dig their own graves. The poisoned water at Lindy Vista, he states, was also laid to them.

Another man arriving at Richmond yesterday from Camp Lewis, Washington, where most of our boys are, states that the percentage of deaths there from pneumonia is awful high. Other rumors float in from other camps and courtes, stating that the American soldiers have few rifles or machine guns, are shivering in zero weather without overcoats and only one blanket, and many dying every day.

The News does not vouch for any of these stories, but gives them as they are received, as assertions and rumors. If the half of it is true, it is a tragedy for the great Aviation boys.

Local Boost Body Shows Results

As noted in one of the items in an other part of the News of this issue, another factory representative has been looking over Richmond with a view to locating here. When interviewed yesterday he stated that it was principally through the efforts of Secretary Mass of our local Chamber of Commerce, that the advantages to be found here were made apparent to him.

With recent move in mind of the revived intent to create a closer cooperation with the Chamber on the part of Richmond's business and general public, it is timely to point out that here is concrete evidence of the benefits brought through the efforts of the Chamber. It is also evidence of the efficiency of the Secretary of the Chamber, though nobody needs to be reminded of that.

The point is that Mr. Weiniger's visit should have an influence on the action of everyone in Richmond when they are asked to support the Chamber of Commerce.

RICHMOND BOY TO FLY

Elwin Nicholson, formerly an employee of the Western States Gas and Electric company and now in the Aviation Corps of the United States army is held at Angel Island under quarantine, preparatory for his leave from the great Aviation base.

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THINKOGRAPHS

BOOZE VITAL ISSUE

The time is near, it may come in the campaign in California next year—when the liquor issue can not be evaded by any man in public life.

The resolution providing for nationwide prohibition will be presented for decision in the house soon and the vote will be taken early next week.

This resolution already has passed the senate with many votes to spare. It is expected that it will pass the house. Its friends are confident. Its enemies hold out little hope that they can defeat it.

One of the significant signs is that the big brewing interests of the country are trying to amend the resolution so that it will expect light beer from its provisions.

The dry leaders, in anticipation of the passage of the resolution, are organizing for a fight in every legislative district in the entire country, for the final decision must be made in the legislatures of the states when the proposed amendment to the constitution comes up for ratification.

Heretofore it has been possible in a large number of the legislative districts where candidates were afraid to express their views on the liquor question to avoid doing so.

Now every candidate in every district will be forced to state where he stands because that will become the vital issue.

Candidates for state offices, because of their supposed influence in legislative matters, will likewise be forced into the open on this question.

In the best state campaign, although the liquor question was on the ballot in two years, candidates, including those for governor, were careful to avoid the issue.

The fence will not longer be a good meeting place. Every candidate for public office will be compelled to climb down on one side or the other, painful as the process may be.

The above we take from the Sacramento Union, and desire to call the attention of Mr. Callahan, member of the legislature for this county, to it. It applies to this county, to every county in the state and in the nation. Mr. Callahan sidestepped this issue very adroitly last term, and as he is presumably a candidate for re-election, we should be much interested in having him throw a little light upon the subject. It's a cinch he can't sidestep it this time.

DIFFERENT KINDS OF I. W. W.

The carefully tailored delegates to the National Chamber of Commerce are growing very eloquent about the 'industrial slackers,' and talking about 'drafting' labor. It is blessedly satisfying to read what Secretary of Labor Wilson told them—that the labor difficulties were their own fault.

"The laboring men are justified, yet; but Wilson is right—we who must labor should stand pat during the crisis and do our bit with a national viewpoint. Gompers is right. Now is the time to forego, temporarily. Labor will lose nothing by taking the point of view. But the common people are not going to stand for any scheme by the 'captains of industry' to make the war an excuse to snatch away any of their dearlybought privileges.

While the members of the National Chamber are fulminating against the I. W. W.'s, we rise to remark that there isn't much choice, from a patriotic or ethical standpoint, between the I. W. W.'s in labor's ranks and the I. W. W.'s in the National Chamber of Commerce who are holding up the nation and the consumers for 500 and 600 per cent profit.

IDEALS ABOVE DOLLARS

In the way of patriotic business sentiment nothing finer has come out of the

war than Otto H. Kahn's resolution not to seek an increase of wealth while hostilities continue, and Jacob H. Schiff's eloquent endorsement of the idea in the presence of the Jewish board of welfare work in the army and navy is equally commendable.

If the American people generally were to enter the confidence in such a spirit many of the most troublesome problems of the day would soon disappear. Time now wasted in controversy over a thousand things not essential to national welfare and victory would be saved, and there would be such an increase in material energy, to say nothing of moral force, as to be forever memorable.

Men who do not seek to add to their fortunes in a crisis like this know well enough that the possessions they now have are subject to all the vicissitudes of war, but the soldier and the sailor make the same renunciation as a matter of course, and in addition risk not only property but life.

When nations set their minds upon great and worthy objects, personal gain counts for but little in comparison with the ends sought. Autocracy's wicked purpose has filled the earth with carnage. Democracy's triumph will be all the more complete and glorious if all its members find their profit in ideals rather than in dollars.—New York World.

FOR THE PEOPLE'S INTEREST

The Richmond News is one daily paper that is actually printed in the interests of the people. F. J. Hulaniski, editor of the paper, wields a vigorous pen and there is seldom an issue of his publication that does not contain an editorial which rules a raw spot on the oppressors of the people. The Richmond News is one of the most valued exchanges of the Labor-Review, and from time to time we reproduce Mr. Hulaniski's articles.—Stockton Labor Review.

German censorship is so strict that the outside world probably has small notion of how mad conditions are in that troubled country, but enough leaks out to indicate that a good many are going hungry, and not enjoying the experience. The kaiser is not included among those on short rations.

One trouble with remorse is that it so seldom gets in its work until one is found out.

If no other reason is apparent, there is usually an effort to locate the woman in the case.

A quarrel can be repaid, but it should be remembered that 99 patches out of every 100 show.

The average American is too busy to live right.

About all that can be said of some people is that they mean well.

Keep going; a bicycle idle has to be propped up.

Among other mysteries is how some men make a living.

Missouri hasn't changed much. The Elvin's correspondent of the Bonne Terre, Mo., Star wrote: The deceased leaves some children, wife, dog, cow, 'pint of whisky, a pretty good gun, some shells, a knife, a plug of tobacco and \$27.50."

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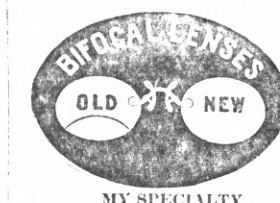
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Dated December 15, 1917.
HELEN A. CHAPMAN,
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Point Richmond Section

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Mrs. Jessie DuRee of Stockton, who has been visiting friends here for the past few days will leave for her home today.

At the meeting of Zephyr Rebekah Lodge last night it was decided to have children's night on Dec. 29, at Fraternal Hall. All Oil Fellows and families will be welcome on this night.

Mr. Ada Lee, of Los Angeles, who has been a missionary in India, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alice Conry. With Mrs. Lee are her sons Frank and Albert and her mother, Mrs. Jones. Mrs. Lee will lecture at the First M. E. Church at the morning service today. She expects to join her husband in India in the spring to continue her work there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Nichol, of San Francisco were here yesterday calling on old friends and looking after the repairing of their brick block on Washington Avenue.

The stories at the West Side Library Story Hour, Saturday morning were told by Mrs. Sidney Smith, formerly of the Berkeley kindergarten. Mrs. Smith possesses the art of the real story teller, and the children listened eagerly while she told the delightful Christmas stories: "The Fir Tree," by Sara Cone Bryant, "The Golden Cobwebs," and "Why the Chimes Ring."

Pulse Bros grocery store at the Point has a very excellent display and demonstration of good things in their line. Each customer or sight-seer that happened into the store received a dish of salad.

Gordon Snavely, formerly of the Point and now with the Aviation Corps stationed "somewhere in the eastern part of the U. S., is expected back in a few days to spend the Christmas holidays. He will be given a furlough of a few days besides his traveling time.

Bernal Road, former resident of the Point and now with the Medical Corps of the United States army, stationed in San Diego, is to be home for the Christmas holidays.

Clarence Allen and G. Solto, both of the Bank of Richmond, are going to hike to the new dam, north of San Pablo this morning with a few other prominent young people of the Point.

Miss Amy Freeman was tendered a joyful surprise party in her home Friday evening. An entertainment, games and refreshments were the features of the evening. Those present were: Misses M. Henry, Bessie Housell, Catherine Housell, Helen Freeman, Amy Freeman, Ethel Freeman, Elsie Freeman and Gladys Freeman; Messrs. Gene Downey, Paul Tyson, Vernon Simson, Gene Doolittle, and Mrs. Freeman.

A delightful party was given to Arvin Hoover by his friends of the Point yesterday afternoon. Many children attending. Games, refreshments and stories entertained the happy youngsters for the whole of the afternoon. Those present were: Arvin Hoover, Ellen Burton, Frances McCullough, Ralph Lee, Marshall Niedecker, Arthur Cramer, Marian Windrem, Phillip Windrem, Chester Barlow, Emma Booth, Argl Adams, Willard Spierisch, Ellen Burton, Clayton Mulvaney, and Arthur and Charlot Hoover.

Phillip DeLuna was tendered a joyful surprise party at his home by his friends Friday night. There were games and refreshments to be enjoyed by the guests. Those present at the affair were Phillip DeLuna, Albert Wilson, Howard Knight, Richard Paash, Alex Morrison, Wesley Arnold, Eddie Fitzpatrick, Clarence Fitzpatrick, Will Stribley, Ruth Mcnamin, Ruth Hanning, Merlan Gerrard, Carrol Ford, Helen Barthol-

services will be conducted by Rev. A. Bahnsen, in Moore Hall, 615 Macdonald Avenue at 10:45 Sunday morning. The subject of the sermon John 1:19-24. All who understand German are welcome. We are growing and would be glad to have you with us.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Richmond Club, Nevins Avenue and Twelfth Street. Service Sunday at 11 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

omew, Irene Carrio, Jennie Williamson, Sarah Thomson, Lois Wood, and Emil Kenas.

Mrs. W. McRacken will give a children's masquerade ball in the Richmond Club rooms on the night of Dec. 28. All persons under 18 are invited to come. The proceeds from the ball will be turned over to the Red Cross. The price of admission will be adults 50 cents and 25 cents for children.

Bobby Osborne has just returned from Healdsburg, where he has been spending a few days hunting. He states that hunting is excellent in that country. He brought back the limit of quail.

A model steam engine which is an exact model of the old time locomotives is on display in the window of the Kozy candy store. It is the main attraction in a snow scene. The engine was built by George Topping. He had it on display at the State Fair in Sacramento during the last festival season in that city.

M. Ward has just returned from the Sierra Nevada mountains, where he has been on a construction job for the Palmer McBride Construction Co., of San Francisco. They are building a big spur for the Western Pacific railroad in the mountains.

Political gossip has it that Mr. H. O. Watson of the City Council is fighting with the republican nomination for Assemblyman. The Councilman admits that overtures have been made by his friends here and throughout the county, saying he will not make up his mind definitely until after further survey of the situation. Watson is a mighty good man.

Supervisor Hook lost on the demurrer in his recall case. The supervisors will probably order the election at once, barring an appeal from the Court's decision.

The News congratulates our fellow townsman, Otto Habedank, on his approaching nuptials. Mrs. Habedank to be, is Miss Emma Aberli of San Francisco. The couple will honeymoon in Southern California, and on their return will be at home in their apartments in First Street.

The Bazaar of the Richmond Club which closed last evening attracted good sized crowds on "purchase bent. The pleasing appearance of the booths, the tasty decorations and the inviting wares were favorably commented on by all. Everything seemed to say "Come and buy me," and according to the members the lure was generally accepted.

Clyde is the name of the new town that is to spring up at the Aladdin touch. Aladdin in this case being the Scott shipbuilding people. Fifty houses for the employees are to be erected at once at Bay Point.

Mrs. H. J. Boyer will try the climate of Davis in the hope of finding health improvement there, where she will visit relatives.

Miss Winifred Conwell finishes her schooling in San Francisco Tuesday, and will then be a full-fledged school nurse—also a very nice one in every way.

Sam Durce and wife are visiting many old time friends, among whom is Fred Renner and hundreds of others. They live at Stockton now.

G. Burley has been called by the Naval Reserves to report in San Diego in a few days. He was formerly an employe of the Santa Fe.

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The picture program for the day contains a Metro production called "The Girl Without a Soul," a wonder-play of love and sacrifice. A Pathe News is also scheduled.

We are getting lots of kicks lately on paper deliveries, and investigation reveals the fact that in a majority of cases it is because the paper is stolen. Probably we should not wonder at it, since the Red Cross contribution box was stolen out of the postoffice. Anybody who would steal a newspaper or a box of pencils from the poor would steal the cross of thorns from the crucified Savior on the cross.

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Daily service to the News by the Richmond Abstract and Title Co.

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Among the Churches

Unitarian Church—Pythian Castle Fifth street near Macdonald Avenue. Frank R. Keane, minister. 7:30 sermon by the minister. Sunday school at 9:30.

The First Presbyterian Church—Bissell Avenue at Twelfth street. Rev. Henry K. Sandberg, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. sharp. Mr. A. H. Rogers, superintendent. Mrs. Nora L. Gibson, choir director. 11 a. m. morning worship, sermon, subject "War News of the Church." A Christian message. Anthem "My Righteousness is Near." 7:30 P. M. Christian Endeavor, "National Ideals, 'War or Peace Which.' 7:45 P. M. Evening message: "The Soldiers of the Rock." Anthem: "Come Unto Me All Ye Weary." 10 A. M. Tuesday Epistle Bible study, Chapter 4. 7:45 P. M. Wednesday "Preparation for Christmas."

The St. George Branch of the First Presbyterian Church of Richmond—Sunday school 10:30 a. m. sharp. Service at 11:15 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and Bible Study.

First Methodist Church—Rev. John C. Gillette, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. morning service 11 a. m. Special Music. Mrs. Ida Lee a returning missionary from India will speak on "Answered Prayer in Mission Work," including the Needs of India and some of the victories of the Gospel. Mrs. Lee has been living in Berkeley while on furlough, and is about to return to India to join her husband who is there now. Do not miss hearing her, she is a very forceful speaker. It will pay you. 6:30 Epworth League Devotional meeting. Leaguers remember the contest. Topic, "The Plague of Discontent." Leader, Miss Carland Wertworth, First M. E. Church of Oakland. Every member is expected to be present and on time to give Miss Wertworth a hearty welcome. 7:30 p. m. evening worship. Sermon by the Pastor, subject Setting a Crooked Sign-Post Straight. You will find a cordial welcome at this Homey church. Come and bring your friend. Maybe you and your friend need setting straight. Come and see.

St. Paul's Church, San Pablo.—Rev. Joseph Porta, pastor. Services Today. Mass with sermon in English at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Evening services at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 4:30 p. m.

Wesley M. E. Church, Cor Ninth and Nevins. Rev. Frank Lindner, pastor; Rev. H. Smith, pastor's assistant. Prof. J. P. Dillon, director of music. Sunday services, 11 a. m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor. 7:45 p. m. Vesper service with programme of music and special address. 9:45 A. M. Sunday school with classes for all ages. Mr. Kirkpatrick and Mr. Roberts, are superintendents in charge. 8:45 p. m. Epworth League meeting conducted by and for the young men and women. The church is open every day and evening through the week as well as on Sunday. The ministry of courage, hope, faith, and optimism.

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Trinity Episcopal Church—Sunday schools at Bank hall, 9:30 a. m.; at the church, 9:45 a. m. Preaching at church 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Rev. Powell, rector.

St. Mark's Church—Tenth St. and Bissell Avenue; Rev. P. M. Griffin, pastor; Rev. D. McLaughlin, assistant. Masses, 7, 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Evening devotion 7:30 p. m. Three Sisters of the Presentation Convent in charge of Sunday school immediately after the 8:30 mass.

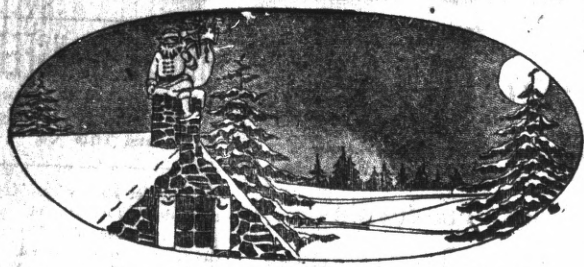
First Christian Church—Sixth St. and Bissell Avenue; Thos. A. Boyer, pastor; Mrs. Taylor Johnston, choir leader; Miss Vera Wyatt, organist. Sunday school at 10:00 A. M. Special "Every Member Canvass" will be made in the afternoon by a special committee. All members are urged to be present at morning service. Those who cannot possibly do so—asked to be at home to receive members of the enlistment committee who will call on them in the afternoon. 11 a. m. "The All for All—or the Fallacy of the 'Fifty-fifty' basis of procedure in matters religious." Y. P. S. C. E. meetings at 6:15 p. m. Choir rehearsal, special Christmas Cantata, Wednesday evening. Training for service class in the Church parlors, well lighted and warm—Thursday night. Soloists for Sunday, Miss Myrtle Welsh and Miss Marguerite Knoble. A cordial welcome to all.

Calvary Baptist Church—10th St. near Nevins. Carl E. Bett, pastor. Calvary Sunday school commences at 9:45. Mr. W. Dimock, Supt. Spiedd corps of teachers. Preaching service begins at 11 a. m. The sermon subject will be "Is the Bible Written by God or Man?" The Monthly Question Box Service will begin at 7:30 p. m. Some of the questions discussed will be:

1. What about Paul Smith's moving Pictures?
 2. Can a Christian go to good clean plays?
 3. What is the Millennium?
 4. Ought Women to be Active in church work?
 5. Is it good to have different denominations?
 6. Will God credit a man for his good life?
 7. Where did Cain get his wife?
 8. Why don't God give man intelligence to believe?
 9. Why don't God give us a sign?
 10. Do you have to assume God in reading the Bible?
- The ordinance of baptism will be administered at close of this service. The Juniors will meet at 2:30 p. m. The B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting will be held next Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Special Bible study, testimony and prayer sessions. You will find a cozy home-like atmosphere at Calvary church. Try it today.

First Baptist Church, Washington and Nichol streets, Cloice R. Howd, pastor, services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. 10 a. m. Bible School. Visit the new adult class, 6:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting

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P. R. Ragland is on his way to Iowa to enlist in the 61st Engineer Corps. Iowa is his native state. He has been a resident in Richmond for the past three years.

William Hadley, graduate of the local high school has entered the service of Uncle Sam as a sergeant in the band of the 62nd Infantry. He is now at the Presidio, San Francisco.

T. Rolay, who was arrested by the San Francisco police for trespassing on private property, has been turned over to the local police, who have released him on \$10 bail.

G. Azmish was fined \$10 yesterday for allowing his horse to walk over and eat grass off private property. After this Azmish will feed his horse for it is much cheaper all around.

Vernon, Hunting and Hawkins left for San Pablo bay, this morning, where they will spend the day hunting for ducks.

G. W. Pennington, superintendent of the Santa Fe Foundry of Richmond has been delivered a handsome Buick, 1918 model, by the H. A. Sellers automobile firm of this city.

Politics, mostly county, are beginning to warm up around the edges, but we shall positively refuse to discuss politics until after the Christmas holidays.

LOST—Cimex cavaliers between 6th St. and Santa Fe Depot, on Macdonald Ave., Saturday. Return to 245 6th Street. Reward. 14342

A dance will be given by the prominent San Pablo ladies for the benefit of a sick man, on the night of December 22. The dance will be held in Maple Hall in San Pablo. The Triangle Jazz orchestra will render the music. Admission will be 50 cents.

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TELEGRAPH ITEMS

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plant of the Fullerton Oil company, near there early to-day. The plant was totally destroyed by fire which broke out after the explosion. Irwin Bopst, 45 had his head torn off by the force of the blast. The loss is estimated at \$5,000.

OAKLAND EXCITED OVER SECRET SCHEME

Secret effort which have been under way for the past ten days to produce the belief in Washington, D. C., that Alameda county was against the construction of the Oakland Estuary bascule bridge until after the war, were brought to light today through telegrams and correspondence between President William Spruille of the Southern Pacific Company, Mark L. Requa, president of the Alameda County Tax Association and assistant to Herbert Hoover in the food administration and Secretary of War Newton D. Baker.

PITTSBURG WOMAN MURDERED BY SPIES

PITTSBURG, Dec. 15.—Definite announcement that Mrs. Emma, Eitzen Beyer was murdered by a person or persons interest in preventing her from exposing a giant spy plot in this country, was made to-day. The United Press was authorized to say that this motive for the crime has been fully established by Justice Department agents and Allegheny county police officials and detectives investigating the case.

OAKLAND INCENDIARY BLAZE ENDANGERS GOVERNMENT WORK

An incendiary fire which broke out in the gallery of the steamer Claremont, owned by the Hartwood Lumber Company, lying at the repair

dock of the Union Iron Works in the Oakland Harbor, shortly after 5 a. m. yesterday threatened the huge plant now handling government work to the extent of millions of dollars.

Within two minutes the entire upper deck was enveloped in flames. The vessel is valued at \$500,000, and the loss is estimated at \$2,000.

Federal authorities, combined with the police officials of the bay cities are making an investigation into the report of Fire Chief Walter Steinmetz, who said that he had absolute proof that the fire was of incendiary origin.

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Beautiful Spectacular Drama, "Quo Vadis" at the University of California Theatre, December 17, 18.

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Bound Volumes o

The News office has several hundred handsome bound volumes of the Thinkograph on hand, which sold at 75c and anyone wishing one or more can get them at 50c each. There are four different volumes of the magazine, vols. 1, 2, 3 and 4, each containing six months of the magazine and substantially bound in attractive style. The printing is in colors, with hundreds of illustrations, and the books contain the best writings of the editor for three years. A full set of the four volumes will be furnished at \$1.50.

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- 2 Cans Choice Corn or Tomatoes 25
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- Union Suits 1.50 " 4.00
- 2-pc. Underswear 75 " 2.00

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